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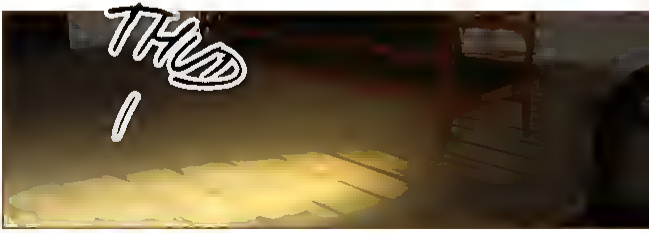
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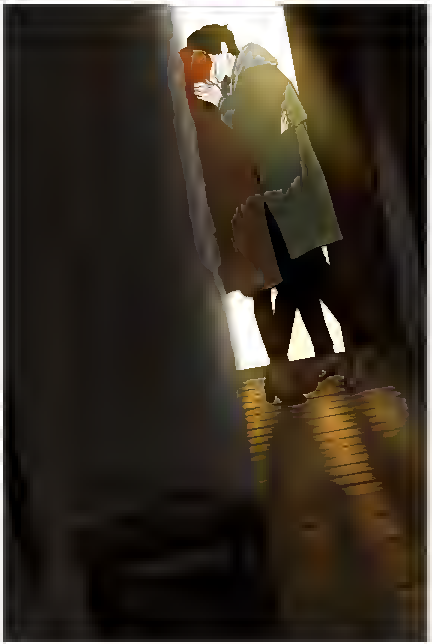
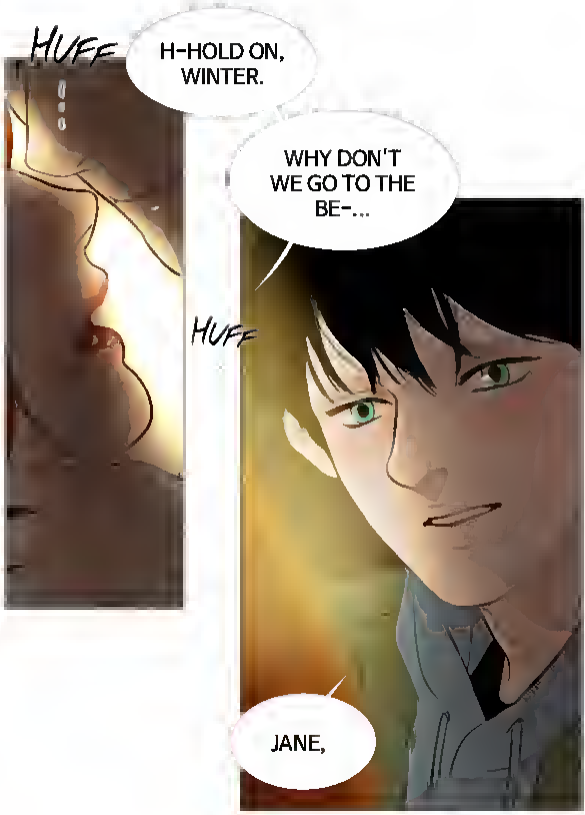
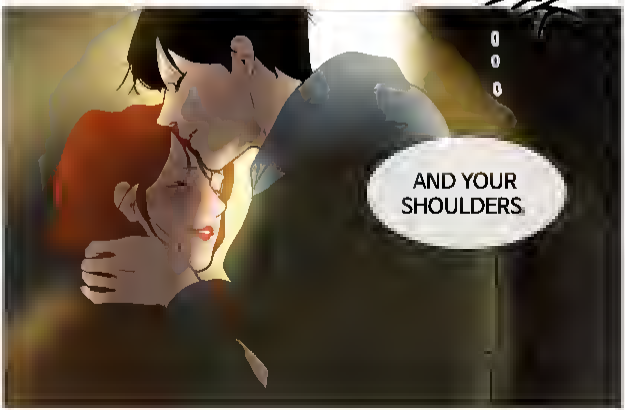


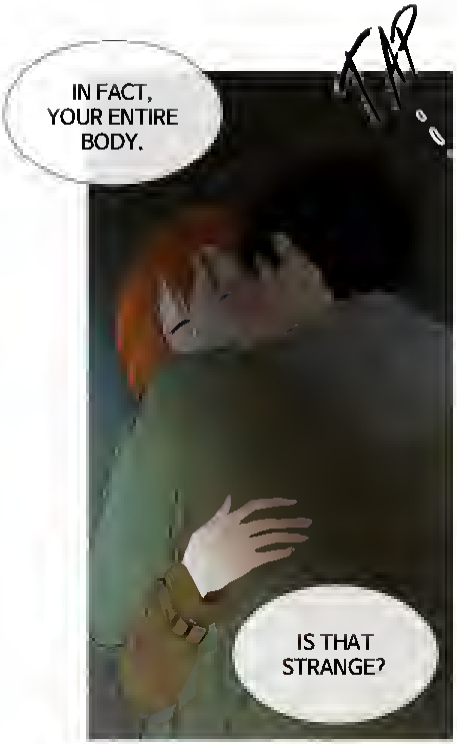

HUFF
H-HOLD ON, WINTER.
WHY DON'T WE GO TO THE BE-...
HUFF
JANE,

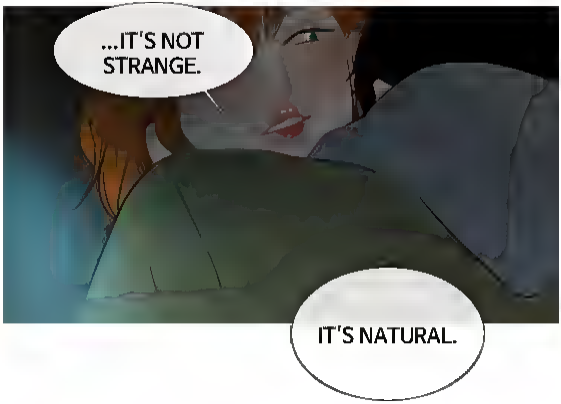
I WANT TO KISS YOUR CHEEK,

YOUR NECK,

CREEAK




IN FACT, YOUR ENTIRE BODY.
IS THAT STRANGE?


...IT'S NOT STRANGE.
IT'S NATURAL.

COME HERE.

JANE,
IT'S SO DARK,
I'LL TURN ON
THE LIGH-..
PLOP
NO,
IT'S OKAY.

JANE.

THERE'S
NOT A THOUGHT
IN MY MIND.

I JUST
LIKE YOU
SO MUCH.

THIS TIME
TOGETHER IS
SO PRECIOUS.

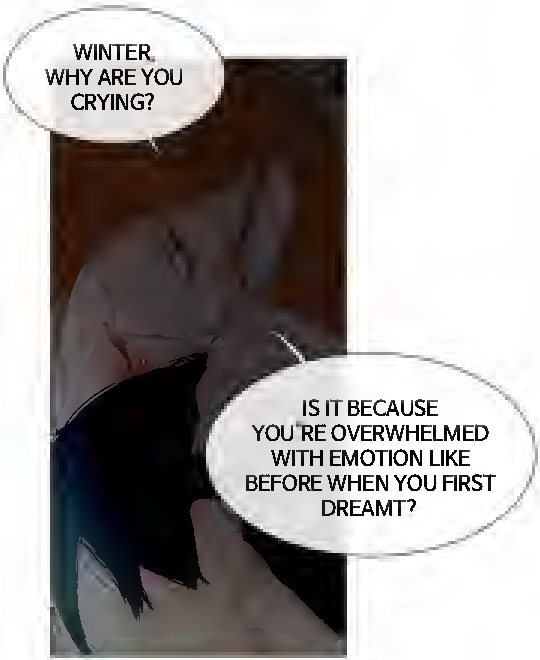
JANE-
HM?

IS IT
ALWAYS THIS
HOT?

WHY?
HOW
IS IT?

IT'S SO BURNING AND YET WARM.
COZY AND SOFT...

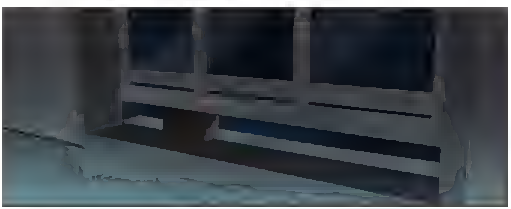
IT'S JUST
SO GOOD...


WINTER,
WHY ARE YOU
CRYING?
IS IT BECAUSE
YOU'RE OVERWHELMED
WITH EMOTION LIKE
BEFORE WHEN YOU FIRST
DREAMT?

I WANT
TO STAY LIKE
THIS.

I WISH I COULD JUST GO TO SLEEP LIKE THIS AND NEVER WAKE UP AGAIN.
THEN... I COULD BE HAPPY FOREVER...

WHAT GOOD WOULD THAT BE IF WE NEVER WOKE UP AGAIN?
WE SHOULD KEEP OUR EYES OPEN AND LOOK AT EACH OTHER
DON'T YOU AGREE?



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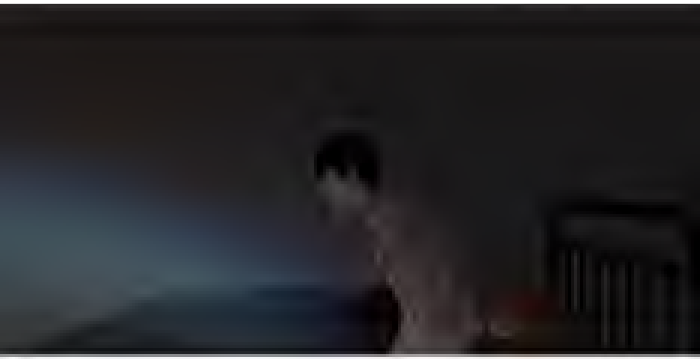
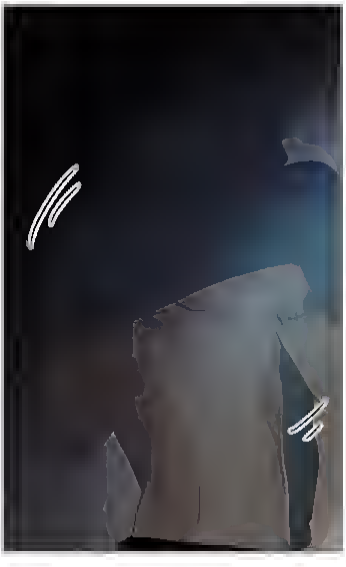
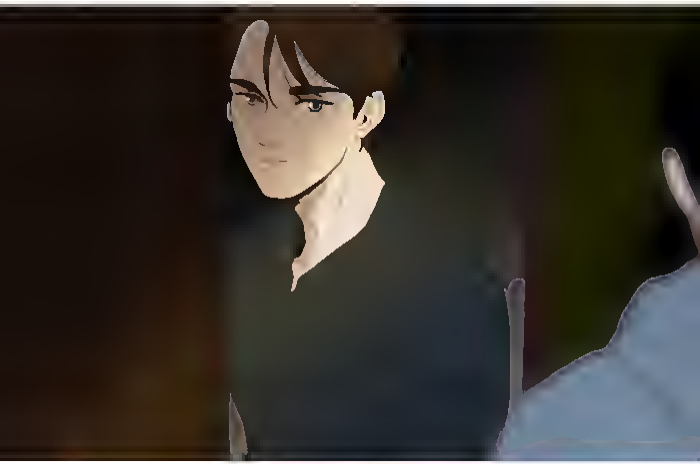
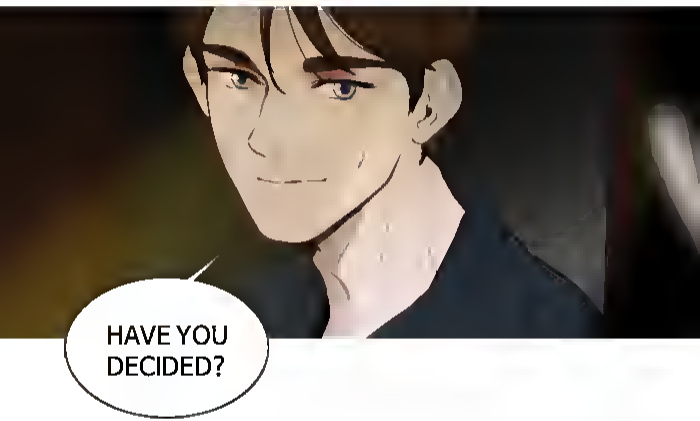




KNOCK
KNOCK

CLICK




HAVE YOU DECIDED?

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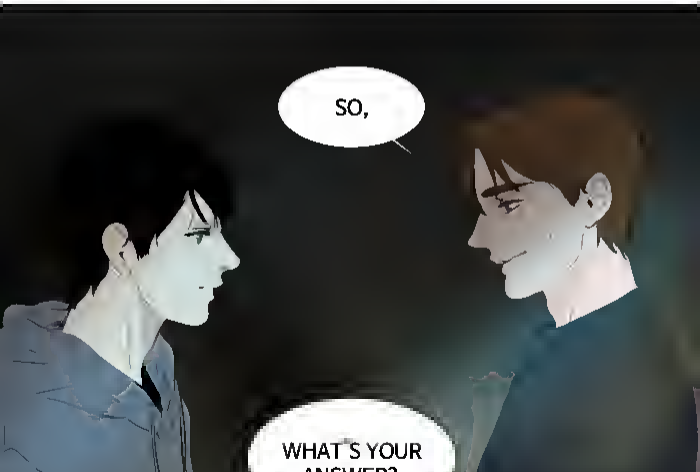
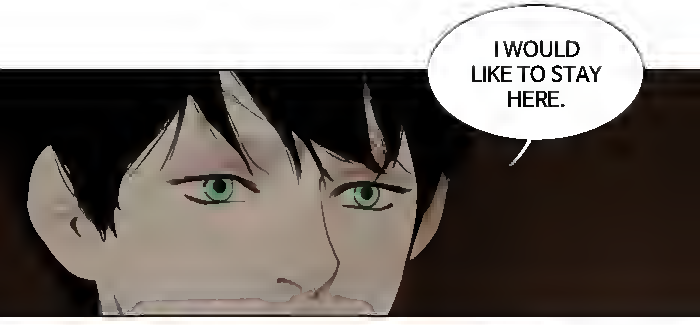
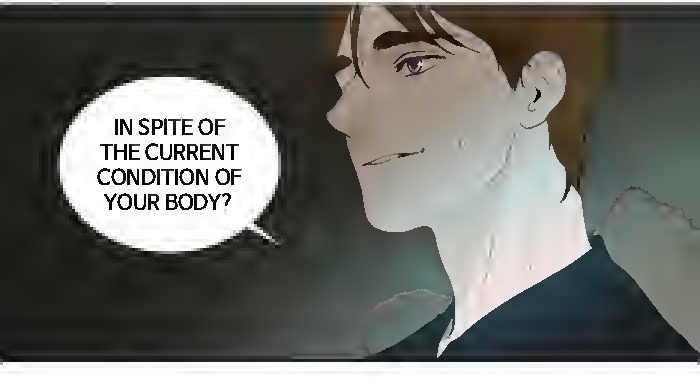
COME IN.
NO.

CLICK
I'LL JUST TELL YOU FROM HERE AND LEAVE.


SO,
WHAT'S YOUR ANSWER?

CLAUDE,
I DON'T WANT
YOUR HELP.
NO MATTER HOW
MUCH I THINK ABOUT IT,
I DON'T LIKE ANY OF
THOSE PROPOSALS
OF YOURS.
...BUT IF
I ABSOLUTELY HAVE
TO CHOOSE,


I WOULD LIKE TO STAY HERE.


IN SPITE OF THE CURRENT CONDITION OF YOUR BODY?

I CAN'T LIVE WITHOUT JANE.
WHICH MEANS THAT WHETHER I LEAVE HERE
OR STAY, I MAY END UP DYING EITHER WAY.
BUT IF I'M GOING TO DIE ANYWAY, I WOULD RATHER CHOOSE TO BE WITH JANE.

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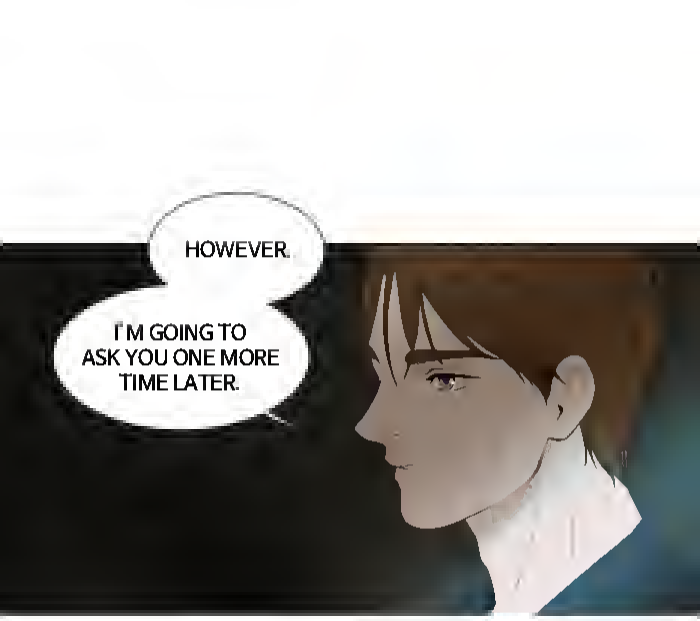
ALRIGHT.
I UNDERSTAND.


HOWEVER.
I'M GOING TO ASK YOU ONE MORE TIME LATER.

I HOPE THAT
YOUR ANSWER THEN
WILL BE THE SAME
AS NOW.

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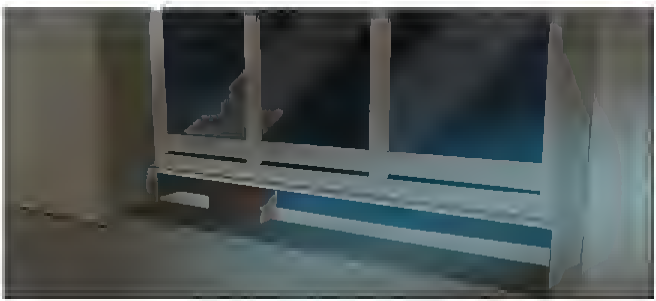


ROY...?
COME TO THINK OF IT... I DON'T THINK HE WAS AT HOME...
TURN
ROY.
TURN
ROY!!

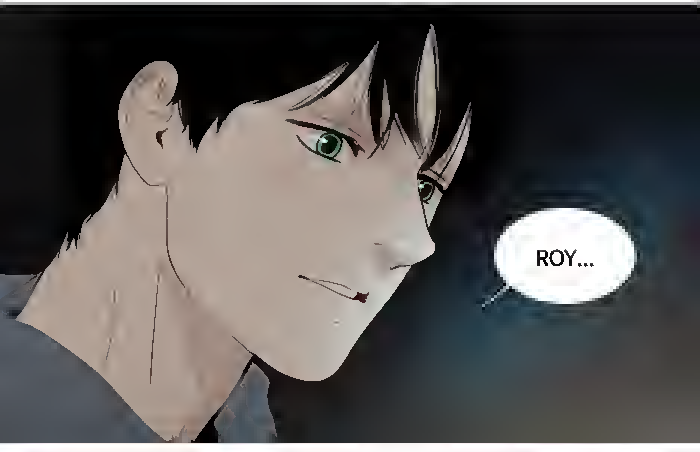
ROY...!
WHISH

WHERE ARE YOU GOING?

WHERE HAVE YOU BEEN?
WERE YOU OUT OF THE APARTMENT THIS WHOLE TIME?
...I JUST WENT OUT FOR A BIT OF FRESH AIR,
...AND THEN FELL ASLEEP.

YOU FELL ASLEEP?
NEXT TIME, DON'T GO ANYWHERE WITHOUT TELLING ME. IT'S DANGEROUS.
.....
DO YOU KNOW HOW SURPRISED I WAS WHEN I THOUGHT THAT YOU WERE MISSING? FOR A SECOND, I THOUGHT THAT SOMETHING HAD GONE WRONG...

WINTER.


ROY...

DID YOU JUST SAY MY
WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO TODAY?
WHAT? AH, W-WELL...
I'LL... STAY HERE FOR A BIT, AND THEN...

COULD YOU JUST SPEND ONE DAY WITH ME?
THERE S SOMETHING THAT I WANT TO DO

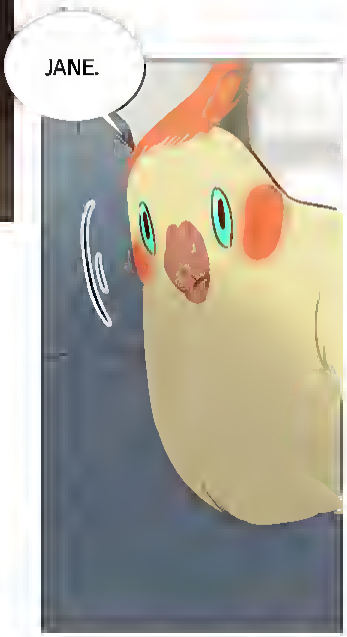
UH....
...OKAY.
LET'S DO WHATEVER IT IS THAT YOU WANT TO DO, TOGETHER
GOOD.

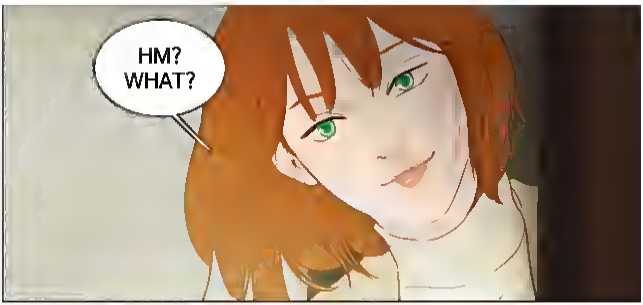
SO, YOU TWO ARE GOING TO SPEND TODAY TOGETHER?

YEAH.
SO HE'S NOT GOING TO WORK WITH YOU TODAY.
MMP AP A~
WHAT WOULD YOU TWO BE DOING BY YOURSELVES~?
ALRIGHT, THEN.
AH!
I DON'T KNOW WHAT YOU'RE PLANNING ON DOING TOGETHER, BUT DON'T STIR UP ANY TROUBLE, OKAY?
WHISH

DON T GO TOO FAR.
AND COME RUNNING BACK
HOME IF YOU MEET ANYONE
WHO SEEMS STRANGE.
GOT IT?
I'M NOT
A CHILD.
YOU'RE AT
LEAST AS BAD AS A CHILD,
CERTAINLY NO LESS.

ANYWAY.
HAVE FUN
TODAY.


JANE.


HM?
WHAT?

NOTHING.

PFF~ THAT WAS LAME.
AH, LET'S HAVE SOMETHING GOOD FOR DINNER TONIGHT.
I'LL BUY ONE OF THOSE ALMOND THINGS THAT YOU LIKE! I'LL TREAT BECAUSE I'M IN A PRETTY GOOD MOOD TODAY!

CLICK
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LET'S
HEAD OUT
NOW TOO.

Winter Woods

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